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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

YOSHINORI OHSAKI

Application No.: 09/577,978

Filed: May 25, 2000

For: PROJECTION EXPOSURE
APPARATUS, AND DEVICE
MANUFACTURING METHOD
USING THE SAME

Examiner: H. Nguyen

Group Art Unit: 2851

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 3, 2002, the period for response to which having been extended to July 3, 2002 by the accompanying Petition For Extension Of Time, please amend the above-identified application, as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

The paragraph beginning at line 24 of page 2 has been amended as follows:

An example of measurement methods for wavefront aberration of a projection lens is a phase restoration method. This method has been used in the field of

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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TOTAL CLAIMS	19	MINUS	25	= - 0 -	x \$9 \$18	- 0 -
INDEP. CLAIMS	3	MINUS	3	= - 0 -	x \$42 \$84	- 0 -
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$140°/\$280						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						- 0 -

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☒ Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

☒ A check in the amount of \$920.00 to cover the fee for a three month extension is enclosed.

☐ A check in the amount of \$___ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.

☒ Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa office by telephone at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,


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